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Report from City of Mexico—Comparative statistics of typhus fever, 1906, 1907, and two months of 1908.

The following is received from Consul-General Gottschalk, through the Department of State, under date of March 9:

Years.	Average number of cases daily.	Per cent of deaths.	Average of cases remaining daily in hospital.
1906.			
January.....	10	24.2	102
February.....	14	25	156
March.....	13	21.5	157
April.....	11	22.8	164
May.....	8	22.1	127
June.....	5	18	71
July.....	5	14.9	76
August.....	6	24.8	70
September.....	5	17.5	64
October.....	5	15.4	61
November.....	4.5	13.2	55
December.....	3.5	13.9	40
1907.			
January.....	4.8	22.6	51
February.....	4.5	20.6	52
March.....	4.8	19.5	63
April.....	4.7	16.5	63
May.....	3	18.5	45
June.....	2.5	17.1	32
July.....	2.1	18.5	30
August.....	2.5	19.7	27
September.....	2	22	22
October.....	2	20.9	24
November.....	3	9.6	29
December.....	2.9	16.8	37
1908.			
January.....	3.3	16.7	39
February.....	3.5	17.8	33

Report from Salina Cruz—Inspection of vessel.

Acting Assistant Surgeon McPherson reports, March 16:

During the period, March 1 to 15, inclusive, one vessel cleared from this port for the United States, the steamship *Arizonan*, which left March 3 for San Diego, Cal., and was fumigated throughout while in the roadstead outside the harbor.

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Reports from Callao—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Plague at Chilean ports—Status of plague in Peru.

Assistant Surgeon Wightman reports, February 24 and March 4:

Week ended February 22. Three steamships and 1 bark were dispatched with a total personnel of 262 members of crews, 55 cabin and 124 steerage passengers. Three of the vessels were fumigated and 1 was inspected and passed.

Smallpox continues in Lima.

Week ended February 29: Bills of health were issued to 2 merchant steamers, with an aggregate personnel of 172 members of crews, 95 cabin and 68 steerage passengers. Both vessels were fumigated. In addition, 21 vessels of the United States Navy were dispatched on statement of their medical officers.